



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. P70350US0

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 6940
Marie-Noelle HORCAJADA)	Art Unit: 1617
U.S. Appln. No.: 10/519,386)	Examiner: S. Javanmard
Filed: December 27, 2004)	
For: USE OF HESPERIDIN OR ONE OF ITS DERIVATIVES)	
FOR MAKING A MEDICINE FOR BONE FORMATION)	February 25, 2010
STIMULATION)	

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Receipt of the Office Action mailed September 25, 2009 is hereby acknowledged.

With the attached Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time, this response is timely as it is being filed on or before February 25, 2010. Claims 2-11, and 13-22 are pending.

Applicants thank the Examiner for the withdrawal of (1) the rejection of claims 2-8, 10-11, and 13-22 over Wenzel, EP 1127572 ("Wenzel") as evidenced by Katori, et al., *Inflammatory Research*, 2000) ("Katori") and Hofbauer, et al., (*Journal of Molecular Medicine*, 2001) ("Hofbauer"), and (2) the rejection of claim 9 over Wenzel in as